

English language skills at least at level B2 are a prerequisite for taking part in the competition. Language skills of the required level must be sustained by an officially recognised certifying body according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages - CEFR.

The Certification attesting the four skills (Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking) must have been awarded not earlier than three years from the date of application (not earlier than two years for TOEFL). The following are recognised by the University:

### UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE ESOL EXAMINATION

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| <i>FCE - First Certificate in English</i> .....                            | B2 |
| <i>CAE - Certificate in Advanced English</i> .....                         | C1 |
| <i>CPE - Certificate in Proficiency in English</i> .....                   | C2 |
| <i>BEC Business English Certificates</i>                                   |    |
| - Bec Vantage.....   | B2 |
| - Bec Higher.....  | C1 |
| <i>IELTS International English Language Testing System</i>                 |    |
| - 5.5 - 6.5.....   | B2 |
| - 7.0 - 8.0.....   | C1 |
| - 8.5 - 9.0.....   | C2 |
| <i>BULATS Business Language Testing Service</i>                            |    |
| - Upper Intermediate 60-74.....  | B2 |
| - Advanced 75-89.....  | C1 |
| - Upper Advanced 90-100.....   | C2 |
| <i>ILEC International Legal English Certificate</i> .....                  | B2 |
| <i>ICFE Cambridge International Certificate in Financial English</i> ..... | B2 |

### PEARSON

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| <i>PTE (Pearson Test of English) Academic</i>  |    |
| - 59-75.....   | B2 |
| - 76-84.....   | C1 |
| - 85-90.....   | C2 |
| <i>LCCE (London Chamber of Commerce and Industry Examinations Board) - EFB Level 3</i> ..... | B2 |
| <i>JETSET</i>  |    |
| - Level 5.....   | B2 |
| - Level 6.....   | C1 |
| - Level 7.....   | C2 |
| <i>EDEXEL - London Test in English</i>   |    |
| - Level 3.....   | B2 |
| - Level 4.....   | C1 |
| - Level 5.....   | C2 |

### ETS EDUCATIONAL TESTING SERVICE

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| <i>TOEFL Test of English as a Foreign Language</i>                    |    |
| Internet based test (iBT):  |    |
| - 72-94.....  | B2 |
| - 95 -120.....  | C1 |
| ITP Assessment series:  |    |
| - 543.....  | B2 |
| - 627.....  | C1 |
| <i>TOEIC Test of English for International Communication</i>          |    |
| - Min. 785 (Listening & Reading) + Min. 310 (Speaking & Writing)..... | B2 |
| - Min. 945 (Listening & Reading) + Min. 360 (Speaking & Writing)..... | C1 |

### TRINITY COLLEGE LONDON

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| <i>ISE Integrated Skills Examinations in English</i> |    |
| - ISE II.....  | B2 |
| - ISE III.....                                       | C1 |
| - ISE IV.....  | C2 |

### BRITISH INSTITUTES EXAMINATIONS

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| <i>First Examination Master in English Language -Vantage</i> ..... | B2 |
| <i>English Diploma Operational - Proficiency</i> .....             | C1 |
| <i>Master in English Language - Mastery</i> .....                  | C2 |

### WEITERBILDUNG TEXTSYSTEME

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| <i>TELC (The European Language Certificates)</i> ..... | B2 |
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### PITMAN

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| <i>ESOL - Inter. 1^ Class Pass+ SESOL Inter. 1^ Class Pass</i> ..... | B2 |
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### BRITISH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR ITALY

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| <i>IPEC (International Professional English Certificate) - Executive</i> ..... | B2 |
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### ESB - ENGLISH SPEAKING BOARD (INTERNATIONAL)

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| <i>ESOL International All Modes</i> |    |
| - Level 1.....                      | B2 |
| - Level 2.....                      | C1 |

Who are exempted from presenting the certification:

- Candidates who have achieved or will achieve no later than October 31st 2018 a Master's Degree with a specialization in English language, in one of the following: LM-37 Languages and Literatures European and American modern, LM-38 Modern Languages for communication and international cooperation, LM-39 Linguistics, LM-94 Translation specialist and interpreting, or Master's Degree equivalent;
- Candidates who have achieved or will achieve no later than October 31st 2018 a Master's Degree in study courses performed entirely in English language;
- Candidates who passed the Positioning Test of the B2 level organized by the Milan University for access to the XXXII Ph.D. course (July 2016) or those who at the deadline of the Call have obtained a certificate of knowledge of the English language level B2 issued by the University (Linguistic Service at the Milan University-SLAM).